GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
LOK SABHA

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TELECOM SERVICE IN ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ISLANDS
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Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Telecom Service in Havelock, Neil Islands in the Andaman and Nicobar Islands is far from satisfactory;

(b) if so, the details in this regard; and

(c) the action contemplated by the Government in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRIMATI S MAHAJAN)

(a) No, Sir. Separate Exchanges are working in Havelock and Neil island in Andaman& Nicobar islands and they are connected through satellite systems with the main network.

(b) & (c): Does not arise in view of (a) above.